GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1315
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Development of Tourist Places in Bihar
Paswan Shri Chhedi

Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has sanctioned funds for the development of tourist places in Rohtas and Kaimur districts of Bihar;
(b) if so, the details thereof;
(c) whether the Government has initiated any development work for the development of the said tourist places;
(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
(e) the steps taken by the Government to expedite the said work in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
(DR. MAHESH SHARMA)

(a) and (b): Yes, Madam. Development of tourism infrastructure is primarily the responsibility of the State Governments and Union Territory Administrations. The Ministry of Tourism provides Central Financial Assistance (CFA) for projects that are complete as per existing scheme guidelines while considering availability of funds and submission of Utilization Certificates against the funds released earlier.

The details of project sanctioned for Rohtas district of Bihar are given below:
<pre> (Rs.in Lakh)
Sl.No. Year of Sanctioned Name of Project Amount sanctioned
1 2008-09 Development of Bhaluni Dham Temple at Rohtas, Bihar 106.63
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(c) to (e): The Government of Bihar has informed that they have sanctioned five schemes for a total amount of Rs.17.90 Crore in Rohtas and Kaimur district. Details of Schemes Sanctioned are as given below:
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(Rs.in Lakh)
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No. Name of Project Amount sanctioned
District −Rohtas
1 Installation of Ropeway system at Rohtasgarh Fort 1265.00
2 Development of Gupta dham, Rohtas 30.00
District-Kaimur
1 Construction of conference hall and additional rooms at Mohaniya, Kaimur 76.99
2 Development of Tourist facilities near Mundeshwari Temple, Kaimur (Phase-1 & 2) 347.00
3 Construction of boundary wall of proposed park at Mundeshwari dham, Kaimur 71.287
Total 1790.277

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It is also informed that work for preparation of feasibility report for installation of Ropeway System at Mundeshwari Hills, Kaimur has been initiated. Regular administrative and technical monitoring is being done at different level.

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